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Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R §§ 1.97(g),(h), this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

The present Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of a first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits, and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 relating to the enclosed materials to Deposit Account No. 01-2508/10286.0358.NPUS00.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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U.S. Patent Documents

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	A1	3,802,515	04.09.1974	FLAMAND ET AL.	173	12	07/07/1972

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	B1	GB2044826	22 OCT. 1980 (PUBLICATION)	UK	E21B 34/08		YES
	B2	GB2328464	24 FEB. 1999 (PUBLICATION)	UK	E21B 44/00		YES
	B3	EP0921268	06 FEB. 1999	EPO	E21B 37/04		YES

III. OTHER ART

Other Art (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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	C1	COPY OF "SEARCH REPORT UNDER SECTIONS 17 AND 18(3)", DATED JUNE 15, 2005 BY THE PATENT OFFICE OF THE UNITED KINGDOM FOR BRITISH PATENT APPLICATION NO. GB0500800.8 (3 PAGES TOTAL, INCLUDING EXAMINER'S COVER LETTER).

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